

AO 440 (Rev. 06/12) Summons in a Civil Action

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Northern District of California

U.S. RIGHT TO KNOW

Plaintiff(s)

v.

NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH

Defendant(s)

Civil Action No. 4:25-cv-4490-DMR

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE
C/O U.S. Attorney's Office
ATTN: Civil Process Clerk
150 Almaden Blvd., Suite 900
San Jose, CA 95113

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:

RICHARD A. BRODY (California State Bar No. 100379)
GREENFIRE LAW, PC
P.O. Box 8055
Berkeley, CA 94707

NOTE: DEFENDANT'S ANSWER IS DUE 30 DAYS FROM RECEIPT OF THIS SUMMONS, 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(C).

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

Date: 05/30/2025



MARK B. BUSBY
CLERK OF COURT

Sheila Pash

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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PROOF OF SERVICE*(This section should not be filed with the court unless required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 4 (l))*

This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* United States Department of State c/o U.S. Attorney's Office
 was received by me on *(date)* 06/09/2025 .

☐ I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
 _____ on *(date)* _____ ; or

☐ I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
 _____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
 on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

☐ I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____, who is
 designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
 _____ on *(date)* _____ ; or

☐ I returned the summons unexecuted because _____ ; or

☒ Other *(specify)*: On June 9, 2025, I caused copies of the Summons, Complaint, Civil Cover Sheet, Judicial Assignment, Order Setting Initial CMC, ECF Reg. Info, Judge Ryu's Standing Order, All Judges Standing Order, Not. of Magistrate Assignment, Not. of Lawsuit & Waiver of Service of Summons due to be served via certified mail which was delivered on June 11, 2025.

My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00 .

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: 06/27/2025

Nuria de la Fuente

Server's signature

Nuria de la Fuente

Printed name and title

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 Berkeley, CA 94703

Server's address

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